

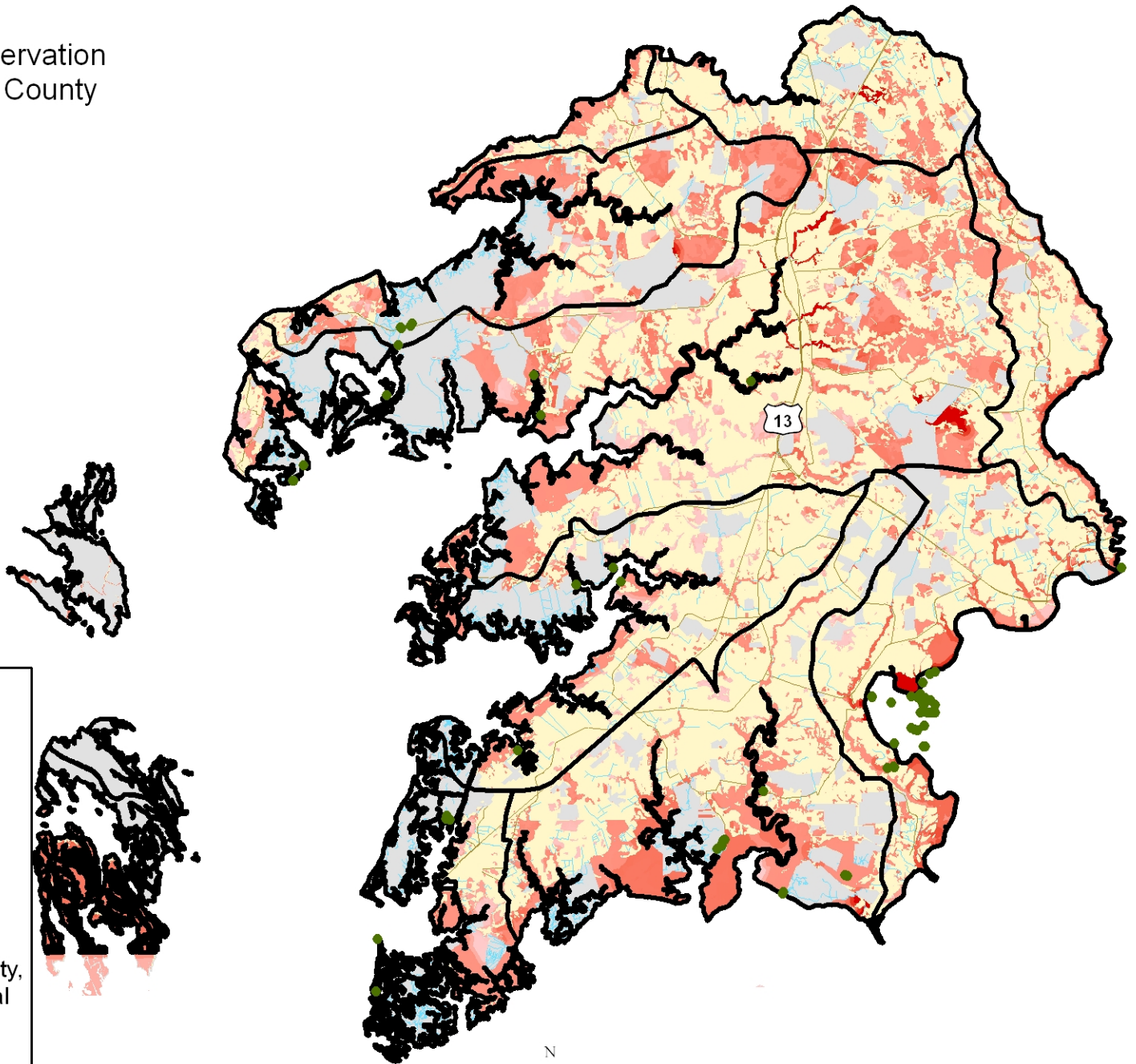
Priority Sites for Wetland Preservation on Private Land in Somerset County

- GIS layers used in ranking sites:
- Scenic Rivers
 - Nontidal Wetlands of Special State Concern (NTWSSC) and potential NTWSSC
 - Ecologically Significant Areas
 - Green Infrastructure
 - Rural Legacy Areas
 - Protected land
 - Development risk
 - Existing wetlands (DNR, NWI)

Legend

- Watersheds in Somerset County
- Tidal reference sites
- Potential wetland preservation sites
 - ▲ Higher ranking
 - ▲ Lower ranking
- Roads
- Water
- Protected land (State, Federal, County, METs, Private Conservation, Rural Legacy Easements)
- Somerset County

Note: Additional wetland prioritization sites were identified in the accompanying text document.



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